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OUTLINES.

The average condition of cotton October 1st, reported by the Department of Agriculture, was 67, compared with 68.2 September 1st. —— A decline in the condition of rice is everywhere reported. —— The U. S. government has replied to the latest note from France regarding China. —— Recent happenings in China are believed to have set back peace negotiations. —— A general rising in the southern provinces of China has been planned for the month of November; 10,000 more troops from India will be sent to Hong Kong. —— The Triads have met and repeatedly defeated the Imperial troops. —— Every place of importance in Manchuria is now in the hands of the Russians. —— Price of print cloths at Fall River has been advanced one-eighth of a cent. —— Ex-Gov. Jarvis, it is said, will withdraw from the race for Senator; a strong effort will be made to induce Col. Waddell to withdraw. —— State convention of Daughters of the Confederacy is in session at Raleigh. —— Grand rally of Democratic clubs throughout the country October 27th. —— Sir Thomas Lipton has issued another challenge for the American cup. —— New York market: Money on call firmer at 2@4 per cent., last loan being at 3 per cent.; cotton quiet; middling uplands 10 13 16c; flour neglected; wheat—spot weak; No. 2 red 80½c; corn—spot easier; No. 2, 47½c; rosin steady; spirits turpentine firm.

WEATHER REPORT.

U. S. DEP'T OF AGRICULTURE, WEATHER BUREAU, WILMINGTON, N. C., Oct. 10.

Temperatures: 8 A. M., 58 degrees; 8 P. M., 59 degrees; maximum, 68 degrees; minimum, 56 degrees; mean, 60 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, trace; rainfall since 1st of the month up to date, 2.55 inches.

FORECAST FOR TO-DAY.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 10.—For North Carolina: Partly cloudy Thursday and Friday; fresh northeasterly winds.

Port Almanac--October 11.

Sun Rises	6.03 A. M.
Sun Sets	5.30 P. M.
Day's Length	11 H. 27 M.
High Water at Southport	9.42 A. M.
High Water at Wilmington	12.12 P. M.

It is said that agents of the British Government have left in New Orleans no less than $10,000,000 to pay for horses, mules and other supplies sent to South Africa.

There is a man in St. Louis who is at present enjoying some notoriety. He gave in $146,000 of property for taxation which the tax men failed to discover. He never lived in Chicago.

The "advisory committee" of the Republican party, which was chosen to help Hanna with advice, etc., principally etc., have "full dinner pails." There are thirty-three of them, whose aggregate wealth is over $100,000,000.

Mark Twain says "England is the best friend we have in Europe, and we are the only friend that England has in the world," which will go a long way to accounting for British friendship for us. She feels the need of our friendship and can therefore swap.

The Washington *Post* would like to know what the administration is doing about Mr. Neely, the Indiana hustler, who sequestrated so much of that Cuba postoffice money. It is doing nothing until after the election and will then do as little as possible. Mr. Neely is an orthodox, regulation Republican.

Speaking of that lie about Bryan being paid to keep the silver plank in the Kansas City platform, Mark Hanna says he doesn't believe it, that while "Bryan is a demagogue, he is not dishonest." Perhaps Hanna thinks a demagogue can be honest. Bryan doesn't and neither does any other honest man.

When Teddy Roosevelt said to his friend, Jordan Starr, "I wish to God we were off the Philippines and had them off our hands, and many other Republicans feel the same," he was not talking for publication, but he doubtless meant it. He didn't wish half as strongly as Hanna did when he said he wished the Philippines were "at the bottom of the sea." It wouldn't be surprising if he still continued to wish them so much wetness.

Speaking of the result of the recent parliamentary elections in England, Lloyd-Greathcons, High Commissioner for Canada, says "there is a wave of Imperialism sweeping irresistibly over Europe." In other words, a land-grab wave. He calls it "imperialism" because he isn't afraid of the word. But the imperialists in this country are trying to fool people by calling it expansion. That wave which is sweeping over Europe has also struck them.

COL. A. M. WADDELL.

A Mass Meeting of Wilmington Citizens Will Be Held To-morrow Night.

A LIBERALLY SIGNED CALL.

Purpose is to Ratify the Action of County Democratic Convention in Its Endorsement for U. S. Senator. At the Court House.

As a result of the efforts of a few of Col. A. M. Waddell's friends in Wilmington, the following call has been signed and issued for a mass meeting of citizens at the Court House to-morrow night:

CALL FOR MASS MEETING.

We, the undersigned, do hereby call a mass meeting of the Democratic voters of New Hanover county, to be held at the Court House on Friday, October 12th, at 8 o'clock, for the purpose of ratifying the action of the County Democratic Convention in endorsing Col. A. M. Waddell for the United States Senate:

T H Johnson, Chas D Foard, F K J Fuchs, S Solomon, W J Kirkham, B Solomon, Otto Banck, T B Oldham, E A Brown, H F Haar, J B Cranmer, B F Penny, B R Penny, P Heinsberger, Jr, J Weil, R G Rankin, F W Kerchner, Ike Solomon, Marcus W Jacobi, J H Hinton, J H Hardin, R W Haywood, A D Wessell, T H Thompson, J C Stevenson, J S R Hinant, Geo T Hewlett, Chas Richter, Will Rehder, L W Baggett, Jno L Boatwright, E O Alexander, G W Linder, H H Waters, Norman Cordes, G B Myers, C E Gordon, John T Platt, H A Burr, Jr, L T McCulloch, T J Pratt, J H W Bonitz, E M Gregg, W M Cumming, J F Garrell, H D Oldenbuttel, Wm D McMillan, M D, R O Grant, G E Tilley, W G Webb, C E Collins, F W Ortmann, Jr, E L Hinton, J C Munds, T G Pickett, S P Adams, E T Draper, Geo Haar, Thos B Carroll, E J Pollard, Geo H Brown, Wm R Brice, R H Cowan, Wm Walsh, Thos J Torpy, S P Cowan, A L DeRosset, Sol Bear, J O Brown, Jno W Plummer, Jr, C L Taylor, D Quinlivan, W V Hardin, H M Foard, A D Brown, E A Nelson, W Oscar Morris, Jas E Bunting, W J Toomer, L Stern, John L Barnes, Joe Newman, John E Wood, A G Rockartes, M Rosenmann, E L Davis, C H Fore, E Poezolt, Sam'l Bear, Sr, T W Clawson, E J Bear, F N Pinner, Henry P West, E H Sneed, A C Sneed, A G Hankins, J A Everett, G E Tilley, Jas B Huggins, T A Whitney, I L Greenwald, A S Holden, N F Parker, W B McKoy, J E Willson, William A Bonitz, J H W Bonitz, John Taylor, T E Mayer, J S Sellers, J E Matthews, W L Harlow, H W Bagg, C A Wright, E Payson Willard, I Shrier, Sam'l Northrop, B G Empie, T H McKoy, John W Plummer, Sr., W W Harriss, Jno J Fowler, Willian J Bellamy, W F Robertson, R B Mason, F H Krahnke, Ed S Battle, Geo L Peschau, L V Grady, S M Empie, Thomas Evans, W M Howey, W L Parsley, Jno M Cazaux, H T Bauman, C W Hill, J W Barnes, Jr., Robert Ruark, W C Galloway, Edward Kelley, J H Joye, C T Hawes, W W Lane, Geo E Murphy, Geo H Howell, C R Branch, A J Howell, Jr, W H Howell, W F LaGwin, Z B Sasser, B F White, F W Ortmann, J Knight, M O'Brien, J H Wheeler, Manney Bear, John O'Brien, J F Gause, Dan H Penton, A Weil, G W Millis, E H Moore, John M Wright, H T Duls, C Frederick, J B King, Walter Rutland, R H Grant, Wm Flanagan, F P Donlan, J H Woebse, D M Carroll, H G MacFarlane, S K Devaney, Jurgen Haar, F W Mohr, Geo D Parsley, I G Skipper, Julius Sternberger, J M Woodward, Thomas Murrin, R C Banks, Jas J Allen, Geo M Grant, James D Smith, Wm L West, Isiah West, J H Williams, Geo Schnibben, F P Lamb, E B Haar, J C Haar, B H J Ahrens, Eduard Ahrens, Robt Green, M J Griffin, Sr., Isaac Northrop, H Sweeney, John Ruark, E H Batson, Patrick Glavin, Natt Glavin, A W Styron, J E Jeffries, H E Robbins, John Ezzell, Willie Ezzell, W F Richter, C D Myers, T C McIlhenny, Jr., J W Triedeman, E J Flanagan, G J Torpy, Sr., Thos Torpy, Sr., F E Hashagen, J D Steljes, J T McIver, A J Hill, Owen Fennell, Walter G MacRae, J F Maunder, William Sheehan, Sr., R A Kingsbury, John Rowan, G H Intaff, R J King, Thos W Mintze, Thos Torpy, Jno H Sweeney, Thos D Meares, P Heinsberger, C F P Parker, J J Bowden, W F Furpless, E Forshee, T D Powers, J S Middleton, J B Hand, E O Allen, E D George, O Bowser, C E Wood, Geo Irving, H H Woebse, J E Silva, Geo H Heyer, C W Woolard, J A Martin, Jas W Basken, H C Rancke, Wm H Brown, L Clifton, J G L Gieschen, John Haar, J G Love, L B Love, Jas C Higgins, M L Skipper, S Carpenter, Jas King, N Lockhart, H Gieschen, F A Lord, J M Forshee, E S Lathrop, C C Brown, B H Scott, J T Jennings, H L Hunt, A H Brenner, Joe Lippitt, W N Cronly, S H Chadbourn, John C Heyer, G F Alderman, G H C Heyer, C W Woodward, John R Turrentine, Jno H Brown, W A Whitehead, A C Craft, W G Whitehead, N McKinnon, E T Taylor, W H Stokeley, Jr, T D Love, S P McNair, A L Greenabaum, W L DeRosset, Jos H Watters, A A Brown, Jno T Rankin, Wm L DeRosset, Jr, R H Pickett, P Donlan, W M Stevenson, A A Willard, Jno T Riley, Wm Calder, S M Boatwright, J A Springer, H D Springer, Clarence D Mafflit, Jno L Cantwell, P G White, T M Turrentine, Jno E Crow, C C Chadbourn, L S Belden, F B King, H K Nash, W P Toomer, B G Worth, Jas W Collins, S H Fishblate, C W Polvogt, W C Peterson, Jno D Bellamy, Wm H Green, Geo Darden, Samuel Northrop, Louis H Skinner, Henry J Gerken, Geo Honnett, W E Springer, J C Springer, R F Warren, A D Cazaux, G W Chenutt, Samuel W Skinner, Jas G Barrentine, H E Bonitz, J N Bunting, Andrew Smith, M H Curran, Wm Teinken, J W Murchison, E P Bailey, Victor E Zoeller, August Schuster, E H Munson, J R Williams, R F Hamme, M F H Gouverneur, Jas H Hooper, James C Munds, DuBrutz Outlar E O Holt, W E Perdew, J H Deans, A Shrier, H L Fennell, R W Price, Tom Blount Willard, R E Zachary, R H Northrop, E O Toomer, W R Kenan, Dr W E Storm.

Dockery Nominated for Congress.

The Republican executive committee of this congressional district met at Hamlet Tuesday and nominated Col. Oliver H. Dockery for Congress against Hon. John D. Bellamy. Col. Dockery was not present, but it is understood that he will accept the nomination.

The ladies should visit Rehder's to-day. †

LOCAL DOTS.

— "Reds" 27 1-10, "Yellows" 21 3-10, was the Y. M. C. A. membership score at noon yesterday.

— Election for President and Vice President and primary for United States Senator, Tuesday, November 6th.

— The joint meeting of Bryan and Stevenson Clubs of the city was not held last night at the Court House as announced.

— The schooner *Sarah D. Fell*, Capt. Loveland, cleared yesterday for New York with a cargo of 9,245 crossties from Messrs. Brown & Co.

— Farmers from some sections report that they are now receiving as high as 30 cents per bushel for cotton seed. Cotton is indeed king this season.

— Hon. W. C. Dowd, of Charlotte, Presidential Elector for the Sixth District, will speak in Wilmington next Wednesday night at the Court House.

— A sociable will be given at the residence of Mrs. E. Bissinger, No. 517 Princess street, this afternoon and evening, from 3 to 10 P. M. All are cordially invited to attend.

— The annual session of the Confederate Veterans' Association of North Carolina, Gen. Julian S. Carr, president, will be held in the hall of the House of Representatives, at the capitol, on Wednesday night, October 24th inst., at 8 o'clock.

— The funeral of Mrs. Julia Etta Southerland, wife of Mr. Lafayette Southerland, who died Tuesday night at her home on Wrightsville Sound, will be held at 10 o'clock this morning and the interment will be in a private burying ground near the residence.

— Robert Downing, who appears in "Richard, the Lion Hearted" at the Opera House to-morrow night, is an ardent Pythian, and Wilmington Knights are arranging to "turn out" *en masse* to see the performance in honor of their distinguished brother.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

J. R. Boyd—Removed.
At Auction—Sharpie Enterprise.
Levi McMillan & Co.—School shoes.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

— Mr. G. J. Cherry, of Parmele, N. C., is at The Orton.

— Mr. Dawson Latham has returned from Chadbourn.

— Mr. L. C. Carroll, of Wallace, was a visitor to the city yesterday.

— Mr. S. S. Holt, of Smithfield, was an arrival at The Orton yesterday.

— Miss Emma Clowe has returned home, after a visit to friends at Hamlet.

— Mr. R. F. DeVane, of Red Springs, was a visitor to the city yesterday.

— Dr. J. H. Durham and family have returned from the Western part of the State.

— Mrs. W. N. Cronly left yesterday to spend some time with friends at Lake Waccamaw.

— Miss Jane Meares returned last evening, after a pleasant visit to friends in Fayetteville.

— Rev. J. J. Payseur, pastor of Brooklyn Baptist Church, went to Mount Olive yesterday to attend the Eastern Baptist Association.

— Col. A. M. Waddell, Mrs. Louis H. DeRosset and Mrs. W. D. McMillan, Jr., left last night for Baltimore to be with Mrs. Waddell, who is quite sick there.

— Mr. E. L. Gilmore, travelling auditor of the Southern Bell Telephone and Telegraph Company, left yesterday for New York, after spending a few days here auditing the accounts of the Wilmington Exchange.

The River Steamboats.

Low water in the Cape Fear and Black rivers is again interfering with steamboat traffic and none of the regular schedules have been resumed. The drought was so prolonged during the Summer that it will take a long period of rain in the up-country to overcome the effect of the absence of moisture in the ground. The steamer *A. J. Johnson* came down from Fayetteville yesterday and cleared in the afternoon for Cedar Creek. The *Hurt* is expected down probably to-day. The *Hawes* and *Driver* are still in port here.

Spirits of Turpentine.

Spirits of turpentine continues to advance on the local market and sales were recorded yesterday at 3 P. M. at 37½@38 cents, with a firm tone. On the same day last year turpentine operators reached a coveted zenith—the quotations for turpentine at that time was even 50 cents. Receipts yesterday were 54 casks against 108 on a corresponding date last year.

Second Ward Meeting.

President W. E. Springer has called an urgent meeting of the Second Ward Bryan and Stevenson Club to be held in the rooms of the Merchants' Association in the Seaboard Air Line building to night at 8 o'clock. Business of importance is to be transacted.

AS WE HAVEN'T OUR STOCK

satisfactorily arranged yet, we find that we will have to postpone our Fall Opening till next week. Will give date of Opening in our regular ad. in Sunday's STAR.

The Big Racket Store,
† GEO. O. GAYLORD, Proprietor.

Don't fail to visit Rehder's to-day. Last day of grand opening. †

REHDER'S OPENING.

Brilliant Display of New Creations in Millinery Styles and Fancies.

IT WILL CONTINUE TO-DAY.

The Big Department Store Was Thronged Yesterday With Seekers for Fashion's Fancies for the Fall and Winter Season.

The semi-annual openings of millinery and millinery goods at the big department store of J. H. Rehder & Co., near Fourth street bridge, have always been events of especial importance, interest and pleasure to the feminine world of the city and the commendable and ambitious desire of the proprietors of the store to make each succeeding event surpass its brilliant predecessor in grandeur and multitude of styles shown, seems to have been pretty well observed yesterday in the display of fashion's fancies for the Fall and Winter of 1900.

Upon the opening of the store yesterday morning until the close last evening throngs of ladies, including the most fashionable and exacting connoisseurs of the city, made an inspection of the profusion of Parisian creations, which are prettier this season than ever before.

The opening was not alone confined to the millinery department, but every nook and corner of the big building wore a holiday attire and polite and clever salesmen and saleslades were present to cater to the requirments of the admiring throng. The prettiest of all, though, was the millinery store. Pretty and tastefully arranged flowers and potted plants including golden rod, palms, ferns, etc., were grouped and entwined about the handsomely displayed new creations to form a pleasing and entrancing scene. Miss Sarah Gardner, the superintending milliner, just prior to the opening of the season visited New York and other great fashion centres and the very creditable display now to be seen at the store is a handsome compliment to her discriminating taste in making the large purchases which now fill this department to overflowing. Then, too, Mr. J. H. Rehder visited the Parisian markets in person this season and the display includes, of course, quite a number of the latest importations in the styles worn in Paris or on Fifth avenue to-day. The new French pattern hats are revelations to the art. There is the "exposition hat," the "Napolean," both in two shades of amethyst with gilt and fruit trimmings, and a hundred others of the latest creations. Then in the display are a fine collections of ornaments and ribbons, some of the double toned effects new to the Fall season. There are shown perfect reproductions of hats created by Pouyanne, Virot, Morchand, Linn-Faulkner, Felix and other Paris premiers in the Art millinery.

The floral decorations in the store are by Mr Carl Rehder and Mr. Clayton Moore, two experts in the art. The display of Millinery was made by Miss Gardner, assisted by Misses Hattie and Maggie Burkhimer, Miss Thorne, Miss Katie Bappler, Miss Mary Styron, Miss Ittner and Miss Hergenrather. The display will be continued to-day, closing this evening at 10 o'clock and the ladies are especially invited to visit the store.

The opening of the new styles and fancies in the dress goods and clothing department was second to the display of Millinery. This department is in charge of Mr. Anson Alligood, a gentleman of wide experience and knowledge of the business. He is assisted by Miss Sallie Boisnet and Miss Emma Atkinson.

During the opening Prof. Miller's band discoursed sweet music and visitors to the store, after examining the display, were charmingly entertained in this manner. Prof. Miller is engaged for to-day again and the invitation to visit the store is again extended.

USED PISTOL FREELY.

Negro Fired His Gun Into a Crowd at Delgado Mills.

William Ready, colored, was arrested Tuesday night by Deputies Millis, Rowan and Daniels on a warrant charging him with shooting into a crowd of operatives at Delgado Mills Sunday afternoon, and his case was tried before Justice J. M. McGowan yesterday afternoon. The evidence introduced showed that Ready, with two other negroes, while driving through Delgado village Sunday afternoon, deliberately fired a pistol in the direction of a number of people who were standing near by the road and he was so close to them when he fired that the powder burned one man in the face.

Justice McGowan found probable cause and held him in the sum of $25 for his appearance at the next term of Criminal Court. He was committed in default of bond. The officers of the law will do all in their power to put a stop to all such lawlessness.

Women in Court.

Six negro women were tried before J. J. Fowler, J. P., yesterday afternoon, three on the charge of slander and three on the charge of indecent exposure of the person. The cases were dismissed against all of them except Millie Everett, who was bound over to Criminal Court on the latter charge.

Don't miss the last day of Rehder's opening. Music by Prof. Miller's orchestra. †

McNEILL IN CHARLESTON.

Tells South Carolinians Something of Our Politics and Senatorial Primaries. Attending Fire Chiefs' Meeting.

Capt. James D. McNeill of Fayetteville and president of the North Carolina State Firemen's Association, who is as well and favorably known in Wilmington as he is in his own town, is in Charleston attending the meeting of Fire Chiefs and Monday he had a talk with a reporter of the *News and Courier*. He is quoted as follows regarding Tar Heel politics:

"James D. McNeill, known of political circles as the "Dick" Croker in the third district of North Carolina, was in the city yesterday. Mr. McNeill, besides exercising a tremendous "nominating" power in his State, represents the sixteenth district in the State Senate.

"We are going to have a warm Senatorial fight this fall," he said. "Marion Butler's term expires shortly and as Populism and Republicanism are dead issues in North Carolina, the Democrats are going to have things their own way.

"There are four candidates; all strong men. But of the four I think F. M. Simmons is going to win. He is opposed by Julian Carr, a man known all over the country as a philanthrophist; Ex-Governor Jarvis, who is a former Senator and minister to Brazil, and Alfred Waddell, mayor of the city of Wilmington.

"The Democracy of North Carolina is going to adopta wrinkle of South Carolina politics and hold a primary. This primary will be held on the day of the national election, at which time we will cast a popular vote to see who is the people's choice for Senate. This has never been done before and I think it will work. If Simmons does not get the votes I will be mightily disappointed, but, of course, as a Senator I will be obliged to vote for the people's choice.

"The Democrats in North Carolina expect a sweeping victory in the national election. I predict that Bryan will get a majority of 30,000 in my State. We will also seat most of the Congressmen.

"The negro no longer figures in politics in North Carolina. As you know we have the Lousiana law and it is going to work well."

HAS COMPLETED REMOVAL.

Mr. James R. Boyd Begins His Duties as General Manager at Gaylord's.

Mr. James R Boyd, formerly manager of Gaylord's branch store, corner of Fourth and Campbell streets, announces this morning to his friends and customers that the work of removing his stock from the old stand to the splendid new establishment on Front street recently built for Mr. George O. Gaylord, the proprietor, has been completed and that he will be glad for them to call on him at the new location.

Mr. Boyd has been with Mr. Gaylord for nine consecutive years and is thoroughly acquainted with every detail of the dry goods and general store business. Mr. Gaylord's selection of him to take the general superintendency of his mammoth business on Front street is no mistake. He is eminently well qualified for the position; well acquainted and popular with the trade. He entered upon the duties of his new position yesterday.

"RICHARD COUER DE LION"

Will Be Presented by Robert Downing and Company To-morrow Night.

The attraction at the Opera House to-morrow night is Robert Downing, one of America's foremost romantic actors, supported by his excellent company of players, including Charles D. Herman, an actor of wonderful ability in romatic roles and who stands second only to Mr. Downing in ability, he having for several seasons played leading support to those two great actors, Warde and James, on their triumphant tour—and last season he supported a Wilmington favorite, Mr. Frederick Warde, winning great applause, and is well remembered by Wilmington play-goers for his excellent work. Miss Alberta Converse, one of the most beautiful and talented actresses now before the public, is Mr. Downing's leading lady, and has supported America's greatest stars. This trio of celebrites will appear at the Opera House to-morrow evening in "*Richard Couer de Loin*" produced with magnificent scenic embellishment and accessories.

The company supporting these players the strongest in the country playing exclusively classic drama.

Seats will be on sale at Gerken's this morning at 7 o'clock.

THE DELUGE IS BROKEN.

Cotton Receipts Showed a Falling Off Yesterday—Prices Likewise Declined.

Yesterday was the first day in more than a week that cotton receipts on the local market went below 4,000 bales. The unprecedented heavy receipts for the period mentioned and the sudden drop to a little more than 2,000 bales elicited some comment and buyers are speculating as to whether the crop is practically all gathered and sold or whether it manifests a determination on the growers' part to hold for higher prices.

Cotton commission merchants did nothing on the market yesterday and operations were confined to the exporters. The actual receipts were 2,249 bales, against 1,367 on the same day last year. The New York spot market yesterday showed a decided decline and a quiet tone.

Railroad Won Case.

Justice J. J. Fowler rendered a decision in favor of the Atlantic Coast Line yesterday in the action brought by Mr. A. S. King to recover damages alleged to have been caused by delaying tools and furniture. Justice Fowler decided against Mr. King because, on account of a block of freight cars, it was impossible to get to the freight in question immediately after its arrival.

Select music at Rehder's on account of opening. †

SENATORIAL RACE.

Reported in Raleigh That Ex-Gov. Jarvis Will Withdraw from the Contest.

COL. WADDELL'S CANDIDACY.

State Convention of Daughters of the Confederacy--Address of Capt. Denson—Over $900 Raised for the Jeff Davis Monument.

[*Special Star Telegram.*]

RALEIGH, October 10.—It is learned here to night, on good authority, that ex Governor Thos. J. Jarvis will, within a few days, publish a card withdrawing from the race for United States Senator. Governor Jarvis is now here attending the Supreme Court, and it is expected that the withdrawal will be published Sunday. It is learned from the same source that a strong effort will also be made to induce Col. Waddell to withdraw. If these two gentlemen withdraw from the race their action will insure a decision of the Senatorial question in the first primary.

The State Convention of Daughters of the Confederacy met here to day. The morning session was devoted to business matters and the reading of reports. At the afternoon session $953 was raised for the Jefferson Davis monument, and an address on the life and character of the President of the Confederacy was delivered by Captain C. B. Denson. To night a reception was given to the visitors by Johnstone Pettigrew Chapter, of Raleigh. At this reception an oil portrait of the late Major Thomas Sparrow, of Washington, was presented to this Chapter, by the Washington Grays Chapter. The speech of presentation was made by Miss Bridgman, of Washington, and responded to by Mr. R. N. Simms, of this city. To-morrow afternoon a reception will be given to the visitors at the Soldiers' Home, and to-morrow night the Capital Club will give them a reception. Since the meeting a year ago, the membership has increased 380, and the organization is in a prosperous condition.

MRS. EMMA McEACHERN

Departed This Life Early Yesterday Morning After an Illness of Several Days. The Funeral To-day.

The STAR chronicles with the deepest regret the death of Mrs. Emma McEachern, relict of the late John S. McEachern, which occurred yesterday morning at 5:30 o'clock. Mrs. McEachern had been slowly sinking since last Friday afternoon when she sustained a severe stroke of paralysis, and while her death was not wholly unexpected, it came nevertheless as a great shock to her devoted family and a wide circle of friends.

She was a consistent and valued member of the First Baptist Church, and her many charitable and loveable traits of character had endeared her to every one whom she met. She was 65 years of age at the time of her death and her maiden name was Miss Emma Garrell. Her husband, the late Jno. S. McEachern, one the best known business men of Wilmington in his day, preceded her to the grave about eleven years ago. The surviving immediate relatives are six sons, all of whom are grown and prominent in business circles of this city and Florida. They are Messrs. J. D. McEachern, of Jacksonville, Fla.; D. McEachern, N. M. McEachern, A. O. McEachern, W. H. McEachern, of Wilmington, and Ed. C. McEachern, the last named of whom is finishing a course in medicine at Baltimore, but who was at the bedside of his mother during her illness and death.

The funeral will be held this afternoon at 3 o'clock from the First Baptist Church and the interment will be in Bellevue cemetery.

Officer Suspended.

Officer W. B. Brown was suspended from the police force by Mayor Waddell yesterday morning for assault and battery on Mr. C. W. Williams at the corner of Front and Orange streets Tuesday. Mr. Brown thought Mr. Williams had done him an injury, but it turned out that there was a misunderstanding. Officer Brown was not on duty at the time, but having his uniform on made him guilty of conduct unbecoming an officer, as well as of disorderly conduct.

Foot Ball Practice.

The foot ball team of the Tileston Athletic Association had a good practice last night. An unusually large number of applicants turned out and everybody played with snap. The prospects of the eleven are very bright. There will be another practice on the vacant lot on Front, between Church and Castle streets to night at 8 o'clock. All applicants for the team are requested to be present in uniforms.

Nine Applicants Examined.

An examination of applicants for the grades of clerks and carriers in the classified postoffice service was conducted by the local board of civil service examiners in the United States Court room yesterday. Five applicants were examined for the grade of clerk and four for the grade of carrier.

Will Move to Atlanta.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Powers and daughter, Miss Mabel Powers, will leave this afternoon for Atlanta where they will make their future home. Their many friends in Wilmington deeply regret their departure but wish for them the greatest success in their new home.

REMOVED.

I take pleasure in informing my friends and customers that Gaylord's Branch Store has been removed to and consolidated with the big Department Store, No. 208-210 North Front street, where I will be pleased to see them and where they will find me in much better position to serve them with perfect satisfaction,

Watch for our Fall Opening next week.

J. R. BOYD,
Former Manager Gaylord's Branch Store, corner Fourth and Campbell Sts.
oct 11 tf

Boy Wanted

TO DELIVER

School Shoes.

Levi McMillan & Co.
oct 11 tf

BARGE LOST.

Edith Howes With Lumber from Charleston for New York.

[*Special Star Telegram.*]

BEAUFORT, N. C., via Newport, N. C., October 10.—Tug William S. McCauley, towing barge Edith Howes, loaded with three hundred and eighty thousand feet of lumber, from Charleston for New York, during a heavy northeast gale on the 9th inst. lost the barge twice during the day, and it became waterlogged, and had to be abandoned fifty miles northeast of Frying Pan light ship. The tug is now in Cape Lookout cove, for harbor. Will go in search of the barge as soon as the weather moderates. The crew was rescued.

GUILFORD, 5; A. & M., 0.

Game of Foot Ball at Greensboro Yesterday Resulted in Score Above.

[*Special Star Telegram.*]

GREENSBORO, N. C., Oct. 10.—Guilford College this afternoon captured foot ball honors from the A. and M. of Raleigh in the score of 5 to 0.

The games was quick and snappy.

Returned From Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Burkheimer and little daughter, Elizabeth, returned yesterday from Detroit, Mich., where they attended a meeting of the United States Railway Mail Service Benevolent Association. Mr. Burkheimer was a representative and Mrs. Burkheimer went as a lady reporter to prepare for publication in the "Railway Mail," the social features of the meeting. They stopped in Pittsburg, Baltimore and Washington on their return home.

To City Subscribers.

City subscribers are earnestly requested to report promptly at the STAR office every failure of the carriers to deliver their papers. In all such cases steps will be taken to insure prompt and regular delivery.

DIED.

MCEACHERN—In this city, Wednesday morning at 5.30 o'clock, Mrs. EMMA McEACHERN, relict of the late J. S. McEachern, in the 65th year of her age.

Funeral from the First Baptist Church, Thursday, at 3 o'clock P. M.; thence to Bellevue cemetery.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Sharpie Enterprise,

As she now lies, at the wharf of the Creosote Company near the foot of Wooster street, will be sold by auction, at noon on Wednesday, the 17th inst., for cash.

oct 11 1w R. W. GIBSON.

Miss Annie B. Stroupe in store formerly occupied by

Miss Cracie V. Wood, 103 Market street, will open a complete line of carefully selected FALL MILLINERY, MONDAY, October 8th. Ladies of the city are invited to call.
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FOR RENT.

STORE now occupied by W. H. Gaylord, opposite New Market, and Store on Water, next to corner Red Cross St.
sep 16 1m Apply to ANDREW SMITH.

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Engagement of America's Tragedian
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Presenting his latest and most positive success,
RICHARD, The Lion Hearted.
by Arthur Dudley Hall, Esq.
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One cake H. C. Soda	05
¼ lb Mixed Tea	15
One Jar Prepared Mustard	10
Two cakes Laundry Soap	05
All worth	55c

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THE UNLUCKY CORNER.
A few days and then—well watch. oct 7 tf

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Mason's Quart Jars At Reduced Prices.

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MOON'S PHASES.

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Full Moon 8 8:18 a. m. | New Moon 23 8:21 a. m.
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The Morning Star

BY WILLIAM H. BERNARD.

WILMINGTON, N. C.

THURSDAY MORNING, OCTOBER 11.

NATIONAL DEMOCRATIC TICKET.

For President:
WILLIAM J. BRYAN, of Nebraska.

For Vice-President:
ADLAI E. STEVENSON, of Illinois.

PRESIDENTIAL ELECTORS.

Electors at Large.

LEE S. OVERMAN, of Rowan.
DAN HUGH McLEAN, of Harnett.

District Electors.

First District:
CHAS. L. ABERNATHY, of Carteret.
Second District:
T. C. WOOTEN, of Lenoir.
Third District:
HENRY L. COOK, of Cumberland.
Fourth District:
B. C. BECKWITH, of Wake.
Fifth District:
WM. A. GUTHRIE, of Durham.
Sixth District:
W. C. DOWD, of Mecklenburg.
Seventh District:
J. R. BLAIR, of Montgomery.
Eighth District:
WM. S. PEARSON, of Burke.
Ninth District:
JNO. M. CAMPBELL, of Buncombe.

For Congress, Sixth District:
JOHN D. BELLAMY of New Hanover.

FOR THE GLORY OF THE PARTY.

When war was declared against Spain and a call was made for troops and was so patriotically responded to by men of all parties and all sections, it was loudly proclaimed that it was not a party war, although directed by a Republican administration, but a war of the American people, but no sooner had our troops begun to win victories than the Republican politicians began to claim the glory for the Republican party. When peace was declared with Spain they gave all the glory to the Republican administration, and this is one of the strong claims they now make why Mr. McKinley should be re-elected. When it came to calling for men to shoulder rifles and fight battles it was a non-partisan war, but when it came to making disposition of the troops and appointing commanders it didn't take long for the politics to crop out.

One of the fullest, tersest, and at the same time most truthful arraignments on this line that we have yet seen was made by a writer who signs himself "a Republican" (who will vote for Bryan,) in a communication to the Brooklyn, N. Y., *Citizen*. There are in the indictment fifteen counts as follows:

1. Two Colonial satraps sent by President McKinley to govern Cuba have been caught at the crime of robbing the Cuban postoffices of $500,000. One of them was Mr. McKinley's good friend, Mr. Bathbone.

2. That the war now waged against the Filipinos is not a war waged by the American people, or the American government, or even the Republican party, but a personal conflict between Mr. McKinley on one hand and the Filipinos on the other. He is waging it very much as he might carry on a tiger hunt for his personal pleasure and incidentally for profit, in a political sense.

3. That the men who are howling most loudly about "following the flag" are following it 10,000 miles away from the scene of armed conflict. They manage to keep 10,000 miles away from its folds when there is firing going on at the front.

4. That not one man who favors war on, or the subjugation of the Filipinos is at the front.

5. That the wars against Spanish despotism and Filipino independence have been conducted in the interest of the Republican party so far as the management of them was concerned. For example, General Shafter, a Michigan Republican, was placed in command of the Cuban expedition. He was jumped over the head of his commander, Gen. N. A. Miles, a Major General.

6. Captain Sampson, a Republican and a protege of T. C. Platt, was placed in command of the American fleet over the head of Commodore Schley, a Democrat, who outranked him, and other ranking naval officers.

7. That regiments commanded by Republican colonels were allowed to go to Cuba for the purpose of making a cheap military reputation without undergoing any risk. Take, for example, the Seventy-first Regiment, commanded by Colonel F. V. Greene, one of the engineers of the local Republican machine in Manhattan; the Rough Riders, commanded by Colonel Teddy Roosevelt, the cowboy and dance hall artist, and the Fourth Ohio Regiment, commanded by one of Mr. McKinley's personal friends. That regiments composed mainly of Democrats (or commanded by Democrats) like the Fourteenth of Brooklyn, the Forty-seventh of Brooklyn, the Sixty-ninth of New York and of the Democratic Southern regiments were kept at home or in camps, so that none of the glory of victory might reflect on them.

8. That Frederick D. Grant, Colonel Francis V. Greene, General Merritt, Colonel Wood, "Colonel" Roosevelt, General Otis and every other military commander advanced to commands of prominence were Republicans, General Joe Wheeler, a McKinley Democrat, was the only exception, and when he went to the Philippines he was pushed aside so that he might not share in the limelight thrown by Mr. McKinley on General Otis.

9. That the Fourth Ohio Regiment was brought home from Porto Rico on the Saturday before Election day of 1898, paraded through the White House, where each member had the privilege of shaking hands with the American Emperor's hand; that that regiment was shipped home at once to Ohio to assist the Administration in defeating a Democratic Congressional nominee, the Hon. John Lentz.

10. That every Philippine commission appointed thus far has been made up of Republican politicians and Democrats known only for their treachery to the Democracy.

11. That official documents bearing on Mr. McKinley's war with the Filipinos have been withheld for "no reason of State" for months, and then sprung on the public toward the close of a political campaign for political effect.

12. That army commissions and places of military responsibility were given to the incompetent sons of Republican politicians, and that not only the health but the lives of thousands of American soldiers were thereby jeopardized.

13. That the treatment of many soldiers who took part in the Spanish war was such as to call forth the condemnation of General Miles and nearly every regular army officer in the service. They, it will be remembered, joined in the denunciation of the embalmed beef scandal.

14. That the man (General Eagan), who at the behest of the Republican Administration, bought the notorious food supply from a firm noted for its friendship to Mr. McKinley, was rewarded by a six years' leave of absence.

15. That the President's brother was the recognized agent for the contractors who supplied the Government with embalmed beef, rotten transport hulks, etc.

Personally McKinley is a very estimable and amiable gentleman, about as free from sectional prejudice as the average man, but as a politician, and when it comes to making appointments or showing favors, is sectional enough to give his section the preference. This preference and partiality were most marked in the conduct of the Spanish war, and have continued to be so marked ever since. The only two military men of prominence from the South who received any noticeable recognition from the administration were Generals Wheeler and Lee, and both of these were in time practically buried.

It was generally thought that when Cuba was invaded the command of the troops would be assigned to Gen. Lee who had been in Cuba and who so bravely upheld the dignity of this country and having been in Cuba while the war was progressing between the Spanish troops and the Cubans, was naturally supposed to be familiar with the conditions and to that extent better fitted for the command than one who had never been there and knew of the situation only by reading the daily news. But Alger wanted a chum in command and he called his Michigan friend Shafter, who was a dead weight from the beginning and about as fit for the position as a drum major would be to take command of the allied armies in China. The victories that were won were won in spite of and not under the direction of Shafter. But Shafter was Alger's friend and a Republican.

Gen. Wheeler achieved some distinction, not because he was put where it would come to him, but because he with his impetuous dash stepped over the regulation red tape, ignored the routine and took the shortest cut to the enemy and to victory. Wheeler simply forced them to recognize him, and showed himself so agreeable to Mr. McKinley afterwards that he could not well throw him off without making some recognition of his services. He couldn't resist Wheeler's importunities and sent him to the Philippines, assigned to Otis, who did his level best to bury him, which finally disgusted him and provoked his resignation.

General Lee is still practically sequestered in that governorship, a subordinate position with little responsibility and less glory in it. After all the grand flourish about these wars being non-sectional and non-partisan, these two representative men of the South were the only two who received any special recognition, and that didn't amount to much.

BRYAN IN ILLINOIS.

The State of Illinois is one of the battle grounds in this campaign. The Democrats hope to carry it, the Republicans fear they may lose it. If there be any thing in popular demonstrations, in the crowds that greet and in the eagerness they show to hear Wm. J. Bryan the Democrats have good grounds for their hopes and the Republicans much cause to feel alarmed. Their main dependence is the money that Mark Hanna will have to put "where it will do the most good."

Proof that they are becoming desperate is given in the lies they are circulating about Bryan, some of which he stopped to notice in some of the speeches he delivered in Illinois Tuesday. One of these is the circulation of an editorial criticising pension methods, which appeared in an Omaha paper several years ago. Mr. Bryan was at one time principal editorial writer for that paper, and although that editorial appeared before he became connected with it, they are circulating it as if written by him. They know better for the men who are playing that fraud on the pensioners know when that article appeared and know that Mr. Bryan was not then connected with that paper.

Another lie is that about his receiving a big sum of money for having the silver plank inserted in the national platform, a lie started by a man who gave as his authority a young woman who makes a sworn statement that she never said what this man attributed to her nor anything like it.

Another is that Bryan gets pay for the speeches he delivers in this campaign, which is so utterly absurd that the surprising thing is that anyone pretending to ordinary common sense would be fool enough to start it. These are a sample of the lies sent out and the campaign has nearly a month to run yet.

AND HE DOESN'T BELIEVE THERE ARE ANY.

Senator Sewell, of New Jersey, is another of the Republican statesmen who doesn't believe there are any trusts. He says he doesn't "know of such a thing as a trust." Perhaps he wouldn't know a trust from a buzzard if he ran up against it in the big road. We judge from the little that Mr. Sewell knows that a man doesn't have to know much to get into the U. S. Senate from New Jersey. Mr. Sewell does not know what a trust is, but like Hanna, Depew and other trust agents he is dodging behind a technicality. How he dodges, and why he should know something about trusts, is shown in the following editorial, which we clip from the New York *World*, a near neighbor of Senator Sewell and pretty well posted on New Jersey:

"Last year two thousand corporations were chartered in New Jersey, authorized to issue stock to the amount of $3,500,000,000. Six hundred of these were capitalized at $1,000,000 or more, and fully one hundred were absolute monopolies. The State derived a revenue of $1,000,000 from chartering those combinations under a law which practically licenses them to do anything they please—to buy, sell or lease real estate and to issue bonds without limit, and without giving publicity to their operations.

"Senator Sewell says that the Standard Oil Company, one of the New Jersey corporations, 'was perhaps at one time a trust, but it has been reorganized under the new law and is now *as legitimate as any other business*.'

"This is the Republican defence of the greatest and most arbitrary monopoly in the world—that because not technically a trust it is perfectly 'legitimate.' But this is not the view of the common law, nor of the act of Congress which declares that 'every contract, combination in form of trust *or otherwise*, or conspiracy in restraint of trade, is hereby declare illegal.'

"There are hundreds of such combinations chartered by New Jersey to prey upon the country, and yet Senator Sewell has the gall to say they are 'legitimate' and beneficial!"

New Jersey finds that trusts "benefit" and makes about $1,000,000 a year out of them. Little Delaware, concluded she would get some the benefit too, and opened a trust making shop on her own account. But New Jersey got the start and raked in the benefits.

REMINDER TO MR. LAWTON.

Mr. A. R. Lawton, of Savannah, Ga., is one of the so-called "McKinley Democrats" who wants to vote for McKinley, and is seeking for a pretext or an excuse for so doing. He says in a letter written some time ago to the New York *Sun* that the reason why the South has been so solidly Democratic is on account of the negro problem, that if this were out of the way there would be lots of white Republicans in the South. In another letter of Sept. 29th he said:

"My first letter was written for the purpose of showing you, as an ardent Republican, what reasons restrain most Southerners from voting with you. They believe Mr. McKinley to be the representative of negro domination, and for them the alternative presented in this campaign is, indeed, an awful one. I think otherwise, and believe that by voting for McKinley in this election I am helping to speed the day when the negro question will be eliminated from Southern politics."

And he is simple enough to think, if he expresses his honest sentiments, that by voting for McKinley he will be helping to solve the negro question as far as appointing negroes to office goes. The *News*, of Savannah, of which city Mr. Lawton is a resident, reminds him how much mistaken he may be by quoting the following from a speech by Gen. Grosvenor, a close friend and a generally accepted mouthpiece of President McKinley, delivered at Evanston, some time ago, when he said:

"There lives not one man who so utterly condemns or despises discrimination against individuals by reason of color or race, as does William McKinley. His life has been one struggle in favor of the promotion of equal rights of all."

Is there anything in this or has there been any intimation from any source that in the event of McKinley's election, he will not pursue the same course that he has pursued in appointing negroes to office in the South, even against the universal sentiment and protest of the white people in the communities in which these appointments were made? Voting for McKinley to get rid of negro officeholders is about the silliest and thinest of all the thin pretences yet made.

Speaking of the political outlook in New York, the *Herald* says, "Republicans fear Croker's barrel." This is one of the *Herald's* jokes.

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Send for a free book written by Dr. Hartman, entitled "Health and Beauty." Address Dr. Hartman, Columbus, O.

In Defence of General Carr.

MR. EDITOR:—For the past two weeks Gen. Carr has been subjected to and is now the subject of the most bitter personal attacks that I have ever known any candidate for office undergo from his party associates. Although born in the State, and having passed his life for more than half a century within its borders, and since his manhood been prominent as a manufacturer and business man, devoted to the State, devoted to his church, conspicuous in the developing of the educational and material interests of the State, sustaining at all times the character of an honest, upright, Christian man, yet now, when he has grown grey in the service of his State and the Democratic party, the over zealous friends of his opponents are actively and insidiously circulating false reports against him, maligning him with all sorts of immoralities, as false as they are wicked. I have too much confidence in the people of our State to think that they will believe any such false rumors. The people are just, and I leave it to them to properly resent such methods of attack upon the character of a well known and philanthropic Democrat of our State.

These tale-bearers do not even stop with assailing Gen. Carr's private character, but they are as bitterly attacking his political character. Though the Senatorial contest is, and can be only between Democrats and hence among political friends, yet in many sections these same parties assert that there is but one Democrat who is worthy to ask the support of Democrats in the Senatorial primary. The head and front of the offence to these by Gen. Carr, Governor Jarvis and Col. Waddell is that as tried and true Democrats they aspire to the United States Senatorship; they then become disorganizers of the party organization, relying upon Republicans, Populists and political soreheads.

Is Col. Waddell not a regular Democrat? For years he represented a Democratic district in Congress. In 1891 he received a handsome vote in the Democratic legislative caucus for United States Senator. At present he is the Democratic Mayor of Wilmington. Who that heard him in the campaign of 1898, and listened to his burning eloquence, doubts the regularity of his Democracy?

Is Gov. Jarvis not a regular Democrat? Speaker of the House of Representatives, Lieutenant Governor, Governor for seven years, Minister to Brazil and United States Senator, pray when did he cease to be a regular Democrat?

Is Gen. Carr not a regular Democrat? What does it take to constitute a regular Democrat? Wherein does he fall short, save only that he is not and never has been an office holder? For thirty years he has been an active working Democrat—never skulking, never complaining, never holding one single office. For years he has served on the State Central Democratic Executive Committee, and he is now a member of that committee. Every year he has opened his purse and given liberally of his means and time, advocating the principles of Democracy in private and on the stump. In 1892 Vice President Stevenson made a tour of the State. Who was it that took charge of him and his special train, under the direction of the State Committee, paying the bulk of the expenses? Julian S. Carr. He is a Democrat who has expended in his party's cause and in his party's service many thousands of dollars. After that election the then State chairman said in substance that to Gen. Carr was due more perhaps than to any other one man that glorious victory. In 1894 he was the same liberal contributor. In 1896 nearly all the men of wealth in the nation turned their backs upon the Democratic party. Not so with him. Nobly did he respond. When Wm. J. Bryan came to North Carolina Gen. Carr took charge of his train, conducted him through the State and paid the bulk of the expenses. But yet some of these parties are charging that Gen. Carr is now and has always been hostile to Bryan. Well do I recall that our then State Chairman told me of his liberality, saying that but for him he could not have had any campaign in the State worthy of the name. In 1896 his check book was again at the command of Democracy. Not only has he always helped the State campaign fund, but he has helped his county and district campaign funds, and those of other counties. Capt. B. H. Bunn said to me the other day: "I shall never forget Jule Carr's liberality. When I ran for Congress, being then in his district, he said to me, 'Don't spend a cent in Durham. If any one wants anything, refer him to our county chairman and I'll take care of him and the county.'"

In 1898 the Democrats of Durhan county were in a desperate condition. Many feared the party would split in twain. Gen. Carr undertook the work of organizing and reconciling the party forces. He accepted the chairmanship and for several weeks prior to the election virtually laid aside his business, riding over the county, seeing this and that man and succeeded in restoring harmony, and carried the county by the largest majority it has ever given and laying the sure foundation for other successes. What the campaign of 1898 cost him, none save a few most intimate friends know.

In the campaign of 1900 he was hard at work for his party? Appeals were made to him from many counties in the State that were in the doubtful column for legislative candidates; the great object next to the adoption of the Amendment was the control of the General Assembly—both houses; he contributed to them with his usual liberality, contributing also to the State committee. Several counties were thus saved to Democracy by his timely help. He consulted me as a member of the State Executive committee, and I recommended this course to him for the good of the party's cause. I know what he gave and am prepared to say that his contributions were liberal and most worthily bestowed. Never until the last few weeks did I ever hear it said that Gen. Carr had been stingy towards Democracy.

When did Gen. Carr cease to be a 'regular' Democrat? Was he one in April? The State convention sent him as a delegate at large to the National convention. It met in July. The North Carolina delegation, unsolicited by him, decided to present, and did present his name to that convention as a suitable man for the Democrats of the nation to nominate for Vice-President. Why is he not a regular enough Democrat now to vote for as United States Senator?

Durham, N. C., Oct. 9th, 1900.

J. S. MANNING,
Member of State Democratic Executive Committee and Chairman Democratic Executive Com. of the Fifth Judical District.

One time. †

STIRITS TURPENTINE.

— Kinston *Free Press*: The Kinston banks paid out about $18,000 for tobacco on Friday, besides large sums for cotton.

— Clarkton *Express*: Mr. M. S. Dove, of Bladenboro township, planted 62 cotton seed of the Peterkin variety two years ago last spring. This year he raised from the increase a 550 pound bale of cotton.

— Washington *Gazette-Messenger*: Rev. Moses T. Moye, died at Wilson Monday night, aged 73 years. He was the oldest minister in years and service of the Christain church in the State, having served his denomination more than 40 years. He was a gallant Confederate soldier.

— Greensboro *Telegram*: Mr. W. P. McLean, a well known and most highly esteemed citizen, died early Monday morning at his home, four miles east of Greensboro. He had been in feeble health for months, suffering from dropsy, and his death was not unexpected.

— Statesville *Landmark*: The furniture factory is now well under way and is putting its product on the market. As evidence that the success of this enterprise is assured, the stock is already at a premium. An offer of 105 for stock in the factory was made a few days ago and there was no haste to sell at these figures.

— Fayetteville Observer: News has just reached this city of what is likely to prove a homicide in 71st. A fight took place at Raynor's still, in which it is said a white saw mill hand named Hamp Buchanan struck a negro named Alex. Monroe over the head with a piece of scantling, fracturing the skull. Monroe, it is said, cannot recover. Buchanan has not been apprehended.

— Monroe *Journal*: Mr. H. M. Furr, of Goose Creek township, had the days of his youth recalled in a rather unusual manner a few days ago. He and his little son were working in the field together, when they discovered a tortoise. The boy, with a well developed juvenile curiosity, proceeded to investigate. He carefully examined that part of the "tarpin" turned toward the light, and then proceeded to reverse him to continue the operation on the remainder of the geography. There, neatly carved on the under shell, he found the letters H. M. F., his father's initials. Mr. Furr remembers that twenty two years ago, when he himself was a boy, that he cut the letters in the shell of a tortoise. He never did it but one time and it was near this place and he believes that this is the self same "tarpin." He looked as fresh and young as he did twenty-two years ago.

CURRENT COMMENT.

—— Ohio has just experienced another close shave on a lynching. If Ohio is not careful, she may muss things up before the election.—*Washington Post, Ind*

—— Wm. J. Bryan is an up-to-date statesman. He talks as well on the new issues of 1900 as he did on the issues of 1896. The Administrationists have been surprised at this. They expected to fix up a platform for the Democrats and compel them to stand on it.—*Cincinnati Enquirer, Dem.*

—— Chairman Hanna should have made his discovery that there are no Trusts in the United States before the Republican platform was constructed and before President McKinley had written his letter of acceptance. It would have saved the platform makers and the President much anxious thought.—*Philadelphia Record, Dem.*

—— If he is able to be present, Sidney Webster, who was private secretary to Wm. H. Seward, and who married the daughter of the late Hamilton Fish, will be invited to preside over the coming Bryan meeting at Madison Square Garden in New York. Mr. Webster is the most recent conspicuous convert to Democracy, and like others who have preceded him he fears the effect on the country of President McKinley's foreign policy. There will be others before the polls have closed on November 6th.—*Savannah News, Dem.*

DON'T GET THIN

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COMMERCIAL.

WILMINGTON MARKET.

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STAR OFFICE, October 10.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE.—Market firm with sales at 3 P. M. at 38 cents per gallon for machine made casks and 37½ cents per gallon for country casks.

ROSIN—Market steady at $1.15 per barrel for strained and $1.20 for good strained.

TAR—Market firm at $1.40 per bbl of 280 lbs.

CRUDE TURPENTINE.—Market quiet at $1.10 per barrel for hard, $2.10 for dip, and —— for virgin.

Quotations same day last year.—Spirits turpentine firm at 50@49½c; rosin firm at 95@$1.00; tar firm at $1.30; crude turpentine firm at $1.50 @$2.80.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits turpentine	54
Rosin	135
Tar	49
Crude turpentine	13

Receipts same day last year.—108 casks spirits turpentine, 851 bbls rosin, 260 bbls tar, 22 bbls crude turpentine.

COTTON.

Nothing doing and market dull on a basis of 10¼c per pound for middling. Quotations:

Ordinary	7 13-16 cts ₱ lb
Good ordinary	9 3-16 " "
Low middling	9 13-16 " "
Middling	10¼ " "
Good middling	10 9-16 " "

Same day last year middling firm at 7½c.

Receipts—2,249 bales; same day last year, 1,367.

[Corrected Regularly by Wilmington Produce Commission Merchants.]

COUNTRY PRODUCE.

PEANUTS — North Carolina — Prime, 70c. Extra prime, 75c per bushel of 28 pounds; fancy, 80c. Virginia—Prime 60c; extra prime, 65c; fancy, 70c.

CORN—Firm, 58 to 60 cents per bushel.

ROUGH RICE—Lowland (tidewater) 85 cents; upland, 50@60 cents. Quotations on a basis of 45 pounds to the bushel.

N. C. BACON—Steady; hams 12 to 13c per pound; shoulders, 9 to 10c; sides, 7 to 9c.

EGGS—Firm at 16½@17 cents per dozen.

CHICKENS—Firm. Grown, 25@30 cents; springs, 10@20 cents.

BEESWAX—Firm at 25 cents.

TALLOW—Firm at 5½@6½ cents per pound.

FINANCIAL MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Oct. 10.—Money on call firmer at 2@4 per cent., the last loan being at 3 per cent. Prime mercantile paper 5@6 per cent. Sterling exchange weak, with actual business in bankers' bills at 483½ for demand and 479½ for 60 days. Posted rates 481@481½ and 485@485½. Commercial bills 479¼@480. Silver certificates 63⅞@64¼. Bar silver 63¼. Mexican dollars 50¼. Government bonds irregular. State bonds weak. Railroad bonds irregular. U.S. refunding 2's reg'd, 103¼; U.S. refunding 2's, coupon, 103¼; U. S. 2's, reg'd,—; U. S. 5's, reg'd, 108¾; do. coupon, 109½; U. S. new 4's, reg'd, 133⅝; do. coupon, 133⅞; U. S. 4's, old reg'd 114½; do. coupon, 114½; U. S. 5's, reg'd, 113¼; do. coupon, 113¼; Southern Railway 5's 109. Stocks: Baltimore & Ohio 70½c; Chesapeake & Ohio 27¾; Manhattan L 92; N. Y. Central 128; Reading 15⅞; do. 1st pref'd 55¼; St. Paul, 11⅛; do. pref'd, 169; Southern Railway 11½; pref'd 52¾; American Tobacco, 89; do. pref'd 129; People's Gas 83¼; Sugar 118⅝; do. pref'd 116½; T. C. & Iron 56½; U. S. Leather 9⅞; do. preferred 68¼; Western Union 78¼.

NAVAL STORES MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Oct. 10.—Rosin steady. Spirits turpentine firm.

CHARLESTON, Oct. 10.—Spirits turpentine firm at 37½. Rosin steady and unchanged.

SAVANNAH, Oct. 10.—Spirits turpentine firm at 38½c; sales 1,088 casks; receipts 1,081 casks; exports 745 casks. Rosin firm and unchanged; sales 963 barrels; receipts 2,404 barrels; exports 2,165 barrels.

COTTON MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, October 10.—It was a day of surprises and intense excitement in the local cotton market. The sole object in view much of the time appeared to be the liquidation of accounts both ways. The cable news was a pronounced disappointment and in conjunction with a more generous movement than figured upon at Southern ports, gave the market an easy opening. Prices declined five to ten points on initial sales, with sentiment bearish to some extent, as the later advices from Liverpool were depressing and as the public showed a desire to unload its cotton before the bureau report. At the time the bureau figures were published the pit was packed to its utmost. The simple announcement that the average crop condition was 67 per cent. swept bulls completely off their feet and created a wild scene of disorder in the pit. It was extremely difficult to find buyers and prices dropped four and five points at a time until 9.75 was reached for January, which figure represented a loss of thirty-six points from last night's closing bid. Everybody endeavored to sell long cotton or get short, with some having both ends in view. The Southwest unloaded large amounts of cotton on the noon break, while Wall street smothered the pit with selling orders. Instead of substantially reacting later in the day on covering for profits, the market continued in an extremely feeble condition with prices around low water mark. The trade was stubbornly opposed to accumulating additional lines of long cotton in the late session on the reaction theory, and the market continued to wabble around the low-commission house element steadily poured long cotton into the pit as did Wall street brokers. The market at the close was steady in tone, with prices net thirty-three and forty two points lower.

NEW YORK, Oct. 10.—Cotton quiet; middling uplands 10 13-13c.

Futures closed steady at the decline; October 10.10, November 9.85, December 9.78, January 9.75, February 9.75, March 9.76, April 9.75, May 9.76, June 9.73, July 9.68, August 9.50.

Spot cotton closed quiet at 3 16c; middling uplands 10 13-16c; middling gulf 11 1-16c; sales — bales.

Net receipts — bales; gross receipts — bales; stock 34,547 bales.

Total to-day—Net receipts 55,698 bales; exports to Great Britain 87,013 bales; exports to the Continent 10,403 bales; stock 490,261 bales.

Consolidated—Net receipts 223,243 bales; exports to Great Britain 133,988 bales; exports to France 8,400 bales; exports to the Continent 23,377 bales.

Total since September 1st.—Net receipts 1,100,864 bales; exports to Great Britain 326,570 bales; exports to France 58,757 bales; exports to the Continent 233,879 bales.

October 10.—Galveston, firm at 10c, net receipts 9,933 bales; Norfolk, steady at 10¾c, net receipts 4,835 bales; Baltimore, nominal at 10¾c, net receipts — bales; Boston, quiet at 11c, net receipts 222 bales; Wilmington, firm at 10¼c, net receipts 2,249 bales; Philadelphia, steady at 11 1-16c, net receipts 305 bales; Savannah, easy at 10c, net receipts 10,242 bales; New Orleans, quiet at 10 1-16c, net receipts 25,447 bales; Mobile, easy at 10¼c, net receipts 1,745 bales; Memphis, steady at 10¼c, net receipts 2,805 bales; Augusta, quiet at 10¼c, net receipts 1,637 bales; Charleston, steady at 10c, net receipts 1,230 bales.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Oct. 10.—Flour—The Flour market was again neglected and nominally lower with wheat. Minnesota patents $4 30@4 50. Wheat—Spot weak; No. 2 red 80½c. Options had an irregular session, opening steady to firm on a little foreign buying they reacted under fine Northwest weather conditions and local liquidation, only to rally again on firm closing English cables. Late in the day they broke again under liquidation and closed weak at ⅜c net decline; October closed 78¾c; December closed 81½c. Corn—Spot easier; No. 2 47½c. Options were firmer at first on local covering but yielded subsequently to fair weather news, easier cables and the break in wheat. Closed steady at ⅜c net decline. October closed 46⅝c; December closed 42c. Oats—Spot easier; No. 2 25½@25¾c. Options inactive but steady. Lard weak; Western steam $7 64; October closed $7 65, nominal; refined easier. Pork easier; family $16 50@17 00; mess $14 00@15 00 Rice firm. Butter firmer; Western creamery 17@21c; State dairy 17@18½c. Cheese dull; large white 10¾; small white 11c. Petroleum quiet. Eggs strong; State and Pennsylvania 20@21c at mark, for average lots; Western regular packing 17@18½c. Potatoes quiet; Jersey sweets $2 25@2 75. Freights to Liverpool—Cotton by steam 45d. Cabbage quiet; Long Island, per 100, $1 50@2 25. Peanuts steady and unchanged. Cotton seed oil was rather quiet and if anything a trifle easy with export demand checked by unfavorable freights. Quotations: Prime crude, in barrels, nominal; prime summer yellow 37c, prompt; off summer yellow 36@36½c; prime winter yellow 41@42c; prime white 40c; prime meal $36 00. Coffee—Spot Rio barely steady; No. 7 invoice 8¾c; mild quiet; Cordova 9¾@14c. Sugar—Raw steady; fair refining 4¼c; centrifugal 96 test 4¾c; molasses sugar 4c; refined steady.

CHICAGO, October 10.—Lack of support again resulted disastrously for wheat, December closing 1c under yesterday. Corn closed 1@1c and oats ½c lower. Provisions were 12½@25c lower.

CHICAGO, Oct. 10.—Cash quotations: Flour dull and steady. Wheat—No. 2 spring —; No. 3 spring 71¼@77; No. 2 red 75½@76c. Corn—No. 2, 40⅝ 41¾c. Oats—No. 2 22½c; No. 2 white 26½c; No. 3 white 26¼c. Pork, per barrel $15 00@15 50. Lard, per 100 lbs, $7 30@7 35. Short rib sides, loose, $8 10@8 35. Dry salted shoulders, $6 25@6 37½. Short clear sides, boxed $8 30@8 40. Whiskey—Distillers' finished goods, per gallon, $1 27.

The leading futures ranged as follows—opening, highest, lowest and closing: Wheat—No. 2 October 75¾, 76, 75¾, 75¾@75¾c; November 76¾, 76¾, 76¼@76¾, 75¾, 75¾; December 76⅞@77, 77¼, 76¾@76¾, 76¾@76½c. Corn—October 40¾, 40¾, 40¼, 40¼c; November 37¾, 37⅞@37¾, 37¼, 37¼; December 34¾@34¾, 35, 34¾, 34¾@34¾c. Oats—October 22½, 22, 21¾, 21¾c; November 23¼, 23¼, 21¾, 21⅞@22c; December 23¼, 23¼, 22¼, 21¾. Pork, per bbl—October $16 00, 16 00, 16 00, 16 00; November $11 40, 11 40, 11 25, 11 27½; January $11 70, 11 75, 11 50, 11 50. Lard, per 100 lbs—October $7 37½, 7 30, 7 25, 7 25; November $7 22½, 7 25, 7 17½, 7 20. Short ribs, per 100lbs—October $7 95, 7 95, 7 80, 7 80; November $7 20, 7 20, 7 00, 7 10; January $6 20, 6 22½, 6 15, 6 17.

FOREIGN MARKET.

By Cable to the Morning Star.

LIVERPOOL, October 10, 4 P. M.—Cotton—Spot, quiet; prices easy; American middling fair, 6 25-32d. The sales of the day were 6,000 bales, of which 500 bales were for speculation and export and included 5,400 bales American. Receipts 1,000 bales, all American.

Futures opened quiet and closed easy; American middling (l. m. c.) October 5 56-64d buyer; October and November 5 42-64d buyer; November and December 5 36 64@5 37-64d buyer; December and January 5 34-64d seller; January and February 5 31-64d buyer; February and March 5 29-64d buyer; March and April 5 27-64d seller; April and May 5 25-64@5 26 64d seller; May and June 5 24 64d buyer; June and July 5 22-64@5 23-64d seller; July and August 5 21-64d seller; August and September 5 15-64d value.

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EXPORTS.

COASTWISE.

NEW YORK—Schr Sarah D Fell—9,245 cross-ties; cargo by Brown & Co; vessel by George Harriss, Son & Co.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Naval Stores and Cotton Yesterday.

W. & W. Railroad—19 bales cotton, 3 casks spirits turpentine, 34 barrels rosin, 6 barrels tar, 2 barrels crude turpentine.

W. C. & A. Railroad—1,993 bales cotton, 7 casks spirits turpentine, 47 barrels rosin, 28 barrels tar, 4 barrels crude turpentine.

A. & Y. Railroad—58 bales cotton, 18 casks spirits turpentine, 6 barrels rosin, 9 barrels tar.

W. & N. Railroad—44 bales cotton, 8 cask spirits turpentine, 8 barrels rosin, 4 barrels crude turpentine.

C. C. Railroad—102 bales cotton, 10 casks spirits turpentine, 15 barrels rosin, 6 barrels tar.

Steamer Seabright—6 bales cotton, 5 casks spirits turpentine, 25 barrels rosin.

Steamer Compton—23 bales cotton, 3 casks spirits turpentine.

Totals—Cotton, 2,245 bales; spirits turpentine, 54 casks; rosin, 135 barrels; tar, 49 barrels; crude turpentine, 13 barrels.

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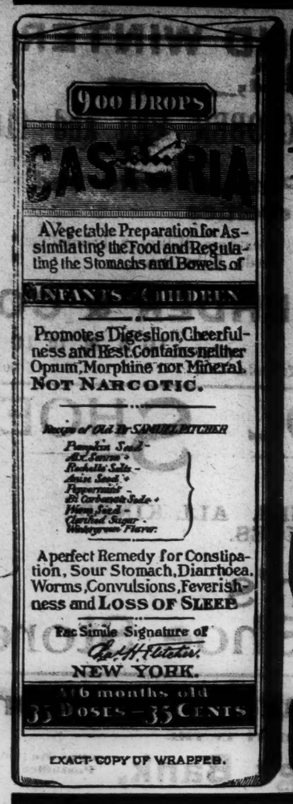

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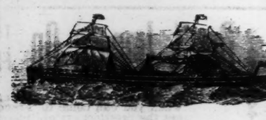

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RESOURCES.

Loans	$ 840,613.23
Overdrafts	36.83
U. S. Bonds (at par)	216,100.00
Banking House and Fixtures	10,000.00
Due from app'd res've agt's	82,463.49
Due from other banks	152,145.02
Cash on hand	98,502.78—333,111.29
Total	$1,359,971.35

LIABILITIES.

Capital	$ 125,000.00
Surplus and undivided profits	108,307.65
Circulation	95,100.00
Deposits U. S Treas.	$190,375.00
Deposits from Banks	179,645.47
Deposits from individuals	731,043.23—1,031,063.70
Total	$1,359,971.35

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT.

	Sept. 5 '98.	Sept. 5, '99.	Sept. 5, 1900
Total deposits	$531,800	$867,100	$1,031,500
Surplus and net profits	82,300	95,000	108,300
U.S. bonds at par	45,100	95,000	216,100

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FACTS ABOUT SARDINES.

The Greater Part of This Country's Consumption Now Packed Here.

Formerly the sardines consumed in this country were all imported from France. Now about three-quarters of the sardines eaten in the United States are put up here, the chief center of the sardine industry in the United States being the eastern coast of Maine, though some sardines are now put up on the coast of California. The packing of sardines in this country was begun about 1886.

Thousands of people now find employment in one part and another of the work in catching fish, in making cans and in canning and packing and marketing and so on.

Sardines are put up in greater variety than formerly, there being nowadays sardines packed in tomato sauce, sardines in mustard, spiced sardines and so on, but the great bulk of sardines, both imported and domestic, are still put up in oil. Sardines are put up also in a greater variety of packages than formerly, there being, for example, various sizes and shapes of oval tins, and some French sardines are imported in glass, but as the great bulk of all sardines are still put up in oil, so the great bulk of them are still put up in the familiar flat boxes, the great majority of these being of the sizes known as halves and quarters and far the greater number of these being in quarters. Sardines are packed 100 tins in a case, and the consumption of sardines in this country is roughly estimated at from 1,500,000 to 2,000,000 cases annually.

Like canned goods of every description, sardines are cheaper now than they formerly were, and American sardines are sold for less than the imported. American sardines are now exported from this country to the West Indies and to South America.—New York Sun.

CHOCOLATE FIENDS.

There Are Those Who Become Slaves to This Nerve Soothing Food.

"The manufacture of chocolate," said J. R. Anso of Brazil, "is a great industry. Of all the chocolate beans imported into the United States two-thirds go to one firm in Boston, and the other third is distributed among the other manufacturers. The chocolates sold are of various grades. The Caracas chocolate is supposed to be the best.

"If you take the various grades, technically known as the Caracas, the French, the German and so on, and take a piece of each and place them in a pan of water and allow them to dissolve, any expert will tell you which is the best chocolate. The better grades will leave no sediment. The others will. This is explained by the fact that in the cheaper grades the shell is ground up and used as a 'filler.' The lighter the chocolate the better the grade. The cheaper grades are dark owing to the ground up shell.

"It is a queer thing about chocolate consumption. There are chocolate fiends, just as there are opium fiends, tobacco slaves and liquor slaves. I cannot tell you why it is, but if people begin to eat chocolate the habit grows upon them. I don't think any amount of chocolate hurts any person. Of course the cheaper grades of chocolate have a large percentage of sugar in them, and sugar is to a certain extent injurious, but for the chocolate itself I don't think any one eats enough to hurt him materially. In contradistinction to the exhilaration of alcoholic drinks chocolate seems to be a soother. Persons who are nervous and irritable find it a food that in a way calms and soothes and satisfies them. It is queer, but it is the truth. The consumption of chocolate is increasing enormously in the United States."—New York Tribune.

Artificial Diamonds.

It is well known that in the manufacture of carbon steel microscopic diamonds are formed, and the curious fact is stated by The Scientific Press that from the examination of a number of steels from a variety of processes identical results were given. A piece weighing 300 grams was cut from a lump of steel and treated with nitric acid, the insoluble residue collected being mainly graphic carbon. After being washed with water it was boiled three times with fuming nitric acid, which partially dissolved the residue, hydrofluoric acid and then fuming sulphuric being used, there then remaining nothing but graphite, which, after being washed, was melted with chlorate of potash. The insoluble residue obtained fell to the bottom of a vessel filled with iodide of methylene, the little transparent octahedrons visible through a microscope, which burned on a sheet of platinum without any ash, being the diamonds.

The Thistle of Scotland.

Once upon a time many hundred years ago the Danes made war upon the Scots and invaded their country. One dark night, as they were marching upon an encampment of sleeping Scots, one of their number trod upon a thistle. The pain was so sudden and intense that the man gave a loud cry. This awakened the slumbering Scots, who sprang to arms and defeated the assailants. In gratitude for the deliverance the Scots made the thistle their national emblem.—Journal of Education.

Japan's Children.

From one end of Japan to the other a child is treated as a sacred thing, be it one's own or a stranger's. Each one carries its name and address on a ticket round its neck, but should it indeed stray from home food and shelter and kindness would meet it anywhere.

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MARINE DIRECTORY.

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SCHOONERS.

Eva A Danenhower, 212 tons, Johnson, George Harriss, Son &Co.
Emma Knowlton, 309 tons, Hutchinson, George Harriss, Son & Co.
Mecosta, 242 tons, Strout, George Harriss, Son & Co.
Massachusetts, 501 tons, Jones, George Harriss, Son & Co.

STEAMSHIPS.

Kassala, (Br), 2,498 tons, Lemond, Alexander Sprunt & Son.
Velleda, (Br) 1,648 tons, Tullock, Alexander Sprunt & Son.
Dowgate, (Br), 1,869 tons, Cheshire, J H Sloan.
Oscar II, (Nor) 1,999 tons, Olsen, J H Sloan.
Bellerby, (Br) 1,979 tons, Finney, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

BARQUES.

Brodrene, (Nor) 631 tons, Thiis, Heide & Co.
Vardoen, (Nor), 649 tons, Jensen, Heide & Co.

BRIGS.

Gabrielle, 416 tons, Johnson, George Harriss, Son & Co.
Br steamship Alnwick, Sampher, Bremen, Alexander Sprunt & Son.
Aus steamship Teresa, Kreglech, Liverpool, Eng, J H Sloan.

SO ANXIOUS TO MEET HIM.

Her Appeal Touched the Heart of the Railway Station Gateman.

A few minutes before the afternoon train from New York got into the Pennsylvania station the other day a beautiful young creature waited herself over to the man stationed at the exit gate and proceeded to hypnotize him.

"Will you please let me through?" she said appealingly.

"Can't do it, miss. It's against the rules," said the man at the gate.

"But I do so want to meet him when he gets off," said the beauteous young thing, looking into the man's face searchingly with her imploring violet eyes. "And he will be so disappointed if I am not right at the car to meet him when the train gets in."

The man at the gate looked and hesitated.

"Please," said the lovely young creature, rustling her silk skirts nervously and seeming to hang on the gateman's nod.

"Well, maybe I can take a chance," said the gateman, and he pulled the gate open and admitted her.

"S'pose she's only been married a little while," reflected the gateman, "and her husband's coming back after being away the first time since they were spliced, and she wants to hand him out the big hug before he's more'n landed from the car steps. Well, I guess we all have it that bad, once in our lives anyhow," and he looked thoughtfully down the siding where the radiant young creature stood, impatiently tapping her foot.

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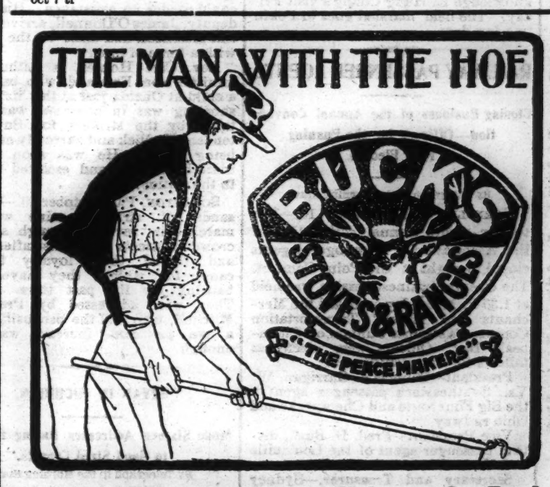

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DAILY 7.00 P. M — No. 49—Passenger—Due Magnolia 5.3[illegible] P. M., Warsaw 5.43 P. M., Goldsboro 6.27 P. M., Wilson 10.30 P. M., †Tarboro 8.46 A. M., Rocky Mount 11.13 P. M., Weldon 1.00 A. M., †Norfolk 10.35 A. M., Petersburg 2.27 A. M., Richmond 3.23 A. M., Washington 7.01 A. M., Baltimore 8.30 A. M., Philadelphia 10.35 A. M., New York 1.03 P. M., Boston 9.00 P. M.

DAILY except Sunday 4.13 P. M. — No. 50—Passenger—Due Jacksonville 9.35 P. M., Newbern 5.40 P. M.

SOUTH BOUND.

DAILY 2.45 P. M. — No. 55—Passenger—Due Lake Waccamaw 4.44 P. M., Chadbourn 5.15 P. M., Marion 6.36 P. M., Florence 7.10 P. M., Sumter 8.07 P. M., Columbia 10.30 P. M., Denmark 5.55 A. M., Augusta 7.55 A. M., Macon 11.15 A. M., Atlanta 12.35 P. M., Charleston 12.15 P. M., Savannah 1.50 A. M., Jacksonville 7.30 A. M., St. Augustine 10.40 A. M., Tampa 10.10 P. M.

WEST BOUND.

DAILY 9.00 A. M. — No. 53—Passenger—Due Fayetteville 12.05 P. M., leaves Fayetteville 12.25 P. M., arrives Sanford 1.43 P. M.

ARRIVALS AT WILMINGTON—FROM THE NORTH.

DAILY 6.00 P. M. — No. 42—Passenger—Leave Boston 12.00 M., New York †3.30 P. M., Philadelphia 12.20 A. M., Baltimore 2.45 A. M., Washington 4.30 A. M., Richmond 8.05 A. M., Petersburg 9.48 A. M., Norfolk 9.00 A. M., Weldon 11.50 A. M., Tarboro 12.21 P. M. Rocky Mount 12.55 P. M., Wilson 2.40 P. M., Goldsboro 3.30 P. M., Warsaw 4.22 P. M., Magnolia 4.36 P. M.

DAILY 9.20 A M — No. 41—Passenger—Leave Boston 12 night, New York 9.00 A. M., Philadelphia 11.33 A. M., Baltimore 1.45 P. M., Washington 3.07 P. M., Richmond 6.55 P. M., Petersburg 7.33 P. M., †Norfolk 3.20 P. M., Weldon 8.05 P. M., †Tarboro 6.00 P. M., Rocky Mount 5.35 A. M. Leave Wilson 5 57 A. M., Goldsboro 6.45 A. M., Warsaw 7.33 A. M., Magnolia 7.51 A. M.

DAILY except Sunday — No. 51—Passenger—Leave Newbern 9.00 A. M., Jacksonville 10.05 A. M.

FROM THE SOUTH.

DAILY 1.20 P M — No. 54—Passenger—Leave Tampa 7.0 A.M., Sanford 12.05 P. M., Jacksonville 8.30 P. M., Savannah 9.10 A. M., Charleston 6.40 A. M., Macon 9.00 A. M., Atlanta 7.50 A. M. Macon 9.00 A. M., Augusta 2.30 P. M., Denmark 4.24 P. M., Columbia 6.40 A. M., Sumter 8.05 P. M., Florence 9.50 A. M., Marion 10.59 A. M., Chadbourn 11.41 A. M., Lake Waccamaw 12.05 A. M.

EAST BOUND.

DAILY 6.40 A. M. — No. 59—Passenger—Leave Sanford 2.30 P. M, arrive Fayetteville 3.41 P. M leave Fayetteville 3.46 P. M.

†Daily except Sunday.

Bennettsville Branch—Train leaves Bennettsville 8.05 A. M. Marion 9.10 A. M., Red Springs 9.45 A. M., Hope Mills 10.32 A. M., arrive Fayetteville 10.55 A. M. Returning leaves Fayetteville 4.40 P. M., Hope Mills 4.58 P. M., Red Springs 5.35 P. M., Marion 6.15 P. M., arrives Bennettsville 7.15 P. M.

Connections at Fayetteville with No. 75, at Maxton with the Carolina Central Railroad, at Red Springs with the Red Springs and Bowmore Railroad, at Sanford with the Seaboard Air Line and Southern Railway, at Gulf with the Durham and Charlotte Railroad.

Train between Rocky Mount and Richmond leaves Rocky Mount 7.15 A. M., arrive Weldon 8.17 A. M., arrive Petersburg 10 18 A. M., arrives Richmond 11.10 A. M.

Trains on the Scotland Neck Branch Road leave Weldon 3.35 P. M., Halifax 4.17 P M.; arrive Scotland Neck 5.08 P. M., Greenville 6.27 P. M., Hilton 7.55 P. M. Returning, leaves Kinston 7.50 A. M., Greenville 8.39 A. M.; arriving Halifax at 11.18 A. m., Weldon 11.33 A. M. Daily except Sunday.

Trains on Washington Branch leave Washington 8.10 A. M. and 3.20 P. M.; arrive Parmele 9.10 A. M. and 4.00 P. M.; returning leaves Parmele 9.35 A. M. and 6.30 P. M.; arrives Washington 11 00 A. M. and 7.30 P. M. Daily except Sunday.

Train leaves Tarboro, N. C., daily except Sunday, 5.50 P. M.; Sunday, 4.15 P. M.; arrives Plymouth 7.40 P. M. and 6.10 P. M. Returning, leaves Plymouth daily except Sunday, 7.50 A. M. and Sunday 9.00 A. M.; arrive Tarboro 10.10 A. M. and 11.00 A. M.

Trains leave Goldsboro, N. C., daily except Sunday, 5.30 A. M.; arrives Smithfield, N. C., 6.40 A. M. Returning leaves Smithfield 7.35 A. M.; arrives Goldsboro 9.00 A. M.

Train on Nashville Branch leaves Rocky Mount at 9.30 A. M., 2.40 P. M.; arrives Nashville 10.30 A. M., 4.00 P. M. Returning, leaves Spring Hope 11.00 A. M., 4.25 P. M. Returning, leaves Spring Hope 11.30 A. M., 4.55 P. M., Nashville 11.45 A. M., 5.35 P. M., arrives at Rocky Mount 12.10 A. M. 6.00 P. M. Daily except Sunday.

Train on Clinton Branch leaves Warsaw for Clinton, daily, except Sunday, 11.40 A. M. and 4.35 P. M. Returning, leaves Clinton 6.45 A. M. and 12.50 P. M.

Train leaves Pee Dee 10.13 A. M., arrive Latta 10.31 A. M., Dillon 10.49 A. M., Rowland 10.58 A. M. Returning, leaves Rowland 6.06 P. M.; arrives Dillon 6.20 P. M., Latta 6.35 P. M., Pee Dee 7.00 P. M., daily.

Trains on Conway Branch leave Boardman at 5.00 P. M., Chadbourn 5.30 P. M., arrive Conway 7.40 P. M.; leave Conway 8.30 A. M., Chadbourn 11.00 A. M.; arrive Boardman 12.30 P. M. Daily except Sunday.

Trains leave Sumter 3.37 P. M., Manning 5.04 P. M.; arrive Lane's 5.43 P. M.; leave Lane's 5.54 A. M., Manning 9.09 A. M.; arrive Sumter 9.40 A. M. Daily.

Georgetown and Western Railroad leave Lane's 9.30 A. M., 7.40 P. M.; arrive Georgetown 12.00 M., 9.00 P. M.; leave Georget

The Morning Star.

WILMINGTON, N. C.

THURSDAY MORNING, OCTOBER 11.

DEVELOPMENTS IN THE CASE OF WM. SCHREIBER.

The Elizabethport Banking Company's Clerk Who Got Away With Over $100,000.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Oct. 10.—The police believe that William Schreiber, who embezzeled $100,000 from the Elizabethport Banking Company, of Elizabethport, N. J., is hiding in this city.

Former Judge Gilhooly, counsel for the institution, and a clerk, Mr. Husted, called at the West Forty-seventh street police station and asked for the service of two detectives to watch the flat of Mrs. Anna Hart in West Forty-eighth street, on whom Schreiber had lavished the bank's money. They suspected that she would go to her lover or he come to her, and in that way his whereabouts might be discovered.

Mrs. Hart is said to have diamonds worth $30,000 and $12,000 in cash, the remnants of Schreiber's peculations that the bank officers want to get hold of. She admits that Schreiber lived with her under the name of William Hart, but claims she has seen nothing of him since August 18.

A deputy-sheriff, ex-Judge Gilhooly, and another attorney went to Mrs. Hart's flat this afternoon. As she was not to be seen they nailed an attachment on the door. They found her later and she told them that she had nothing whatever in the apartments that belonged to Schreiber. Mrs. Hart has had a somewhat remarkable career in this city. After passing thirty years of her life on her father's farm near Bapport, L. I., she came to New York about three years ago. She was Emma Smith, a daughter of a farmer who has lived for years near Bayport, where she was born. Coming to New York Emma Smith first met and became a protege of a member of a leading firm of horse dealers here. This man died last year. But by this time Emma Smith, or Mrs. Hart, as she began to be known, had learned enough of city ways to steer her craft alone. She became a frequent visitor at the race tracks and it was at one of these, it is said, that she met Schreiber. In a short time the couple, under the name of Mr. and Mrs. Hart, went to live in the West 48th street apartments, leasing them for one year from November last. It was said to day by a friend of Schrieber that he had spent about $75,000 on Mrs. Hart in jewels. He purchased fashionable equippages for her use and a wardrobe that filled forty trunks. All of the jewelry was purchased from Tiffany's and included a diamond chain composed of half-carat stones. According to this informant Schrieber sent the woman on a trip to Paris, where she lived in grand style and returned on July 16th last. Her hats and bonnets were of the latest Paris creation.

There was no excitement in Elizabethport over the news of Schreiber's defalcation, and no evidence at the bank of anxiety on the part of depositors. Counsel Gilhooly, for the board of directors, said that the shortage would not exceed $108,000. Acting for the bank, Mr. Gilhooly to-day obtained a writ of attachment on a house and two lots owned by Schreiber, where the defaulting bank clerk resided with his people. It is also said that Schreiber jointly owned with his brother a house in Bayonne.

Joe Vendig, the sporting man, who was Schreiber's "bookmaker" in sporting matters, said to-day that he knew that Schreiber sailed for Europe August 18th.

CONDITION OF COTTON CROP.

Sufficient Improvement in Northern Texas to Make the General Average in That State One Point Higher.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 10.—Following is the monthly report of the condition of the cotton crop, issued by the Department of Agriculture:

The monthly report of the statistician of the Department of Agriculture shows the average condition of cotton on October 1st to have been 67, as compared with 68.2 last month; 62.4 on October 1, 1899; 75.4 at the corresponding date in 1898, and 71.6 the mean average of October for the last ten years.

With the exception of North Carolina and Tennessee, where there is no appreciable change in the condition of the crop, there has been a decline during September throughout the whole of the cotton States east of the Mississippi river. This decline amounts to two points in Virginia, Georgia and Alabama; three points in South Carolina, four in Mississippi and eight in Florida. Louisiana also shows a decline of four points. On the other hand there has been sufficient improvement in Northern Texas to make the general average of that State one point higher than last month, and there is also an improvement of one point in Oklahoma, five points in Indian Territory and four points in Missouri. The crop in Arkansas is about holding its own.

The average for the different States is as follows: Virginia 71, North Carolina 64, South Carolina 57, Georgia 67, Florida 63, Alabama 62, Mississippi 56, Louisiana 66, Texas 78, Arkansas 65, Tennessee 64, Missouri 68, Oklahoma 79, Indian Territory 77.

FIRE CHIEFS' CONVENTION.

The Days' Session Given Up to a Test of Fire Apparatus.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

CHARLESTON, S. C., October 10.—To-day's session of the International Association of Fire Engineers was given up to a practical test of fire apparatus, which are on exhibition here. This afternoon the members of the convention were tendered an excursion to Fort Sumter and around the harbor and to-night there was an open air concert on the Battery. There was no business session of the convention to-day. Fifty chiefs, from New England States principally, arrived here this morning on the Clyde liner Seminole from New York. Important meetings will be held to-morrow, and the Association will not get through its deliberations until Friday afternoon.

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A SET-BACK TO THE NEGOTIATIONS

Ill Considered Military Operations in China Responsible for the Check.

CONFUSED STATE OF AFFAIRS

Each Nationality Appears to Be Moving at the Will of Its Commander in China—Waldersee Not the Directing Head.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 10.—Recent happenings in China, and especially in the province of Chili, have so far set back peace negotiations that it may be a matter of weeks or even months before the peace commissioners will be able to get to work.

Ill-considered military operations in Chili and elsewhere in China are said to be responsible for the check which diplomacy has met in reaching a settlement. Through the efforts of the State Department, seconded by the more moderate Powers, a steady and systematic pressure has been brought to bear upon the Chinese Emperor to bring about his return to Pekin. The representations from the great southern viceroys to the Emperor, setting out the impossibility of supplying the court with money and food if it persisted in retreating to Tsinan Fu, in Shen Si, was but one of the means which had been resorted to at the instance of this government to secure the return of the court. All efforts were neutralized however, by the spasmodic and unnecessary activity of the allied military forces. There was no necessity whatever for the Pao Ting Fu expedition, in the judgment of the officials here, and that venture was the straw which determined the imperial court to flee to the western mountains. Li Hung Chang and the viceroys of the south have pledged themselves to maintain order and guarantee protection for foreigners and property in their respective provinces. This was made a condition precedent by the United States government to the establishment of relations with them looking to the initiation of negotiations for a final settlement.

Hopeless Confusion.

According to all reports that have reached Washington, the viceroys had lived loyally up to their promise in spite of irritating military expeditions and movements of various kinds set up against their protests, and therefore it is regarded as particularly unfortunate that the allied forces should persist now in the expedition against Pao Ting Fu. It is not known here whether or not the Germans are the moving force in this project, and a contrary conclusion is drawn from the fact that Waldersee is not the directing head. Each nationality appears to be moving at the will of its military commander, and military affairs in China, as viewed in Washington, appear to be in a hopeless confusion. In this state of affairs satisfaction is felt in the fact that the American troops are not in any manner involved in the activities of allied forces, and it is said that the movement looking to their withdrawal will proceed uninterruptedly.

Reply to French Note.

The reply of the United States government to the latest note from France, offering suggestions as to the settlement of the troubles in China, was completed late to-day and delivered to M. Thiebaut, charge d'affaires of the French embassy. By him it was forwarded immediately to his government.

No official statement of the contents of the answer was obtainable. Following its inflexible rule, the State Department declined to make public the text of the communication or to make any statement of the nature of its contents until opportunity had been afforded for its reception by the French Foreign Office.

It is believed, however, to take a favorable view of the suggestions submitted by the French government in a general way, although it does not commit this government to all of them.

As to the first of the proposed French terms of settlement, the punishment of the principal culprits, this government has already declared itself in unmistakable terms.

As to the second, the maintenance of the inhibition against the import of arms, this government will not declare itself to the point of making it an absolute pre-requisite to further negotiations.

As to the third and fourth propositions, providing for equable indemnities to states, societies and individuals, and the formation of a permanent guard for the legations in Pekin, a cordial assent will be given.

As to the fifth, which requires the dismantlement of the Taku fortifications this government is not disposed to go quite to the length of making it an indispensable condition, as does the French note.

The sixth of the French conditions reads as follows: "Military occupation of two or three points on the road from Tien Tsin to Pekin, which would be thus always open to the legations wishing to go to the sea or to forces proceeding to Pekin from the sea."

This paragraph would seem to make it obligatory upon the Powers to maintain garrisons at these points, and while conditions are such as to make their present occupation necessary for the safety of the members of the legations and others desiring to travel between Pekin and Tien Tsin, this government is disposed to make the demand as a matter of right, to be exercised by any or all of the Powers at will.

Situation Very Grave.

LONDON, Oct. 11, 4.50 A. M.—The Hong Kong specials this morning all refer to the gravity of the situation in Southern China, but they give no further details than have already been forwarded in dispatches to the Associated Press. In some quarters it is urged that it would be better to employ British than Indian troops in China.

The *Standard*, commenting editorially upon the attitude of the United States, says: "Every dissent, even on minor points, from the suggestions of the Powers is unfortunate, as it leads to fresh correspondence and to further delay. We can only hope that when Lord Salisbury is free to turn his attention to China, he will find some middle course that will secure the support of all the Powers."

The Shanghai correspondent of the *Morning Post*, wiring Tuesday, says: "The Tao Tai of Shanghai and the viceroy of Nankin have protested against a demonstration by foreign troops."

The *Morning Post* publishes the following dispatch, dated October 2, from Ho Si Wu on the Pei Hoke.

"General Chaffee refused to convey any baggage, although three baggage wagons had been obtained. The American soldiers are glad to go to Manila. The accommodating and polite attitude of the British and Japanese toward General Chaffee is very noticeable."

"The Russians," says the Moscow correspondent of the *Standard*, "are pushing the railway from Kharbin eastward with all possible speed. Troops are daily arriving from Amur to reinforce the army that is endeavoring to force its way southeast to join hands with the expeditionary force from Port Arthur which has failed to execute the task appointed, as it met with great opposition. Large Chinese forces are massed in the neighborhood of Mukden."

BOXER RISING EXPECTED IN SOUTHERN CHINA.

British Troops Ordered to Hong Kong. Imperial Troops Defeated by Triads. British and French Expeditions.

By Cable to the Morning Star.

HONG KONG, October 10.—It is said that the authorities have received information that a general rising in the Southern provinces of China has been planned for the month of November.

Ten thousand more troops from India have been requisitioned for Hong Kong. The Sixteenth Bengal Lancers and the Hong Kong regiment have been recalled from the north to Hong Kong. The present indications are that there will be a Boxer uprising similar to that which has occurred in North China. The whereabouts of the rebels in the Hinterland is not known, but is believed to be ten miles north of the British borders. A detachment of 1,000 Chinese troops took up a position at San Chung yesterday and 1,000 more arrived there to-day.

British Expedition.

PEKIN, October 8, via Shanghai, October 10.—The British are planning a small expedition to the coal mine district in the western hills to investigate the supply. It will leave here October 10th.

Chinese who have arrived here from Tai Yuan Fu assert that General Tung Fuh Sian took a large force of his troops when he left here. His present whereabouts is unknown.

TIEN TSIN, October 9, via Shanghai, October 10.—The American marines from Pekin have arrived at Taku where they will be joined to-morrow by the Tien Tsin battalion and sail on the Indiana for Cavite.

Triads Defeat Imperial Troops.

LONDON, October 11.—A special dispatch from Shanghai, dated October 9th, says:

"The 'Triads' have met and repeatedly defeated the imperial troops near Kow Loon. They are daily gaining fresh adherents.

"Heavy Russian reinforcements are moving northward from Port Arthur, with the object of relieving pressure upon Mukden. Every place of importance in Manchuria from Kiatka to the Primorsk boundary and from the Amur to the Great Wall is now in Russian hands."

Movement of French Troops.

TIEN TSIN, October 10.—A military order has been issued to the German troops to occupy the railroad from Yang Tsun to Pekin. The rest of the road will be occupied by the Russians and the harbor of Ching Wan Tao has been allotted to the British.

A detachment of eight hundred French troops, with six guns, started this morning to relieve the Catholic priests who are held prisoners at Ching Hsien, sixty miles north.

A detachment of three hundred French troops started in the direction of Pao Ting Fu Saturday to co-operate with four hundred troops reported to have left Pekin.

It understood that Field Marshal Count Von Waldersee refused to acknowledge Li Hung Chang's visit Friday. The field marshal goes to Pekin in a few days.

RAILWAY PASSENGER AGENTS

Closing Business of the Annual Convention—Officers for the Ensuing Year Elected.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NORFOLK, VA., October 10.—The twenty-eighth annual convention of the Association of Passenger Agents closed to-night at Old Point Comfort. The closing business session was held at 1.30 P. M. to-day on board the Merchants and Miners' Transportation Company's steamer Juniata, on Chesapeake Bay. Officers were elected as follows for the ensuing year:

President—Thomas A. Garrigan, W. Va., Southeastern passenger agent of the Big Four route and Chesapeake and Ohio railway.

Vice President—Fred. D. Bush, district passenger agent of the Louisville and Nashville, at Atlanta, Ga.

Secretary and Treasurer.—Sydney Van Duser, district passenger agent of the Frisco Line, at Pittsburg, Pa.

The association added a beneficial feature. On the death of a member there will be a contribution of fifty cents per capita, payment optional, to provide $300 for the beneficiaries of each deceased member.

The next meeting will be at Los Angeles, Cal., in October next.

At 3 P. M., to-day the steamer Juniata landed the railway men at Norfolk and they were taken to Virginia Beach, where they had a fish and game supper at the Princess Anne. The members left to-night for Old Point and go to their various homes to-morrow morning.

THE PARIS EXPOSITION.

United States Leads All Countries in the Matter of Awards.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

WASHINGTON, October 10.—A cablegram received here to-day from Commissioner Peck, at Paris, contains an announcement of the final results obtained by the various countries in the form of awards at the Paris Exposition. The United States received 2,475 awards, Germany 1,826, Great Britain 1,737 and Russia 1,495.

The United States leads not only in the grand total, but also in all grades of awards, from grand prizes to merely honorary mention.

Judge Kohlsaat, in the United States District Court at Chicago, has issued a temporary injunction restraining O. M. Stone and others from distributing quotations of the Chicago Board of Trade.

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STRIKERS ATTACK NON-UNION MEN.

One Man Killed and a Number of Men Seriously Wounded at Hazleton, Pa.

WOMEN WERE IN THE LEAD.

Attempted to Close the Oneida Colliery. Non-Union Men Stoned—Police Attempted to Intercept the Mob But Were Powerless.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

HAZELTON, PA., October 10.—A special policeman was instantly killed, another was wounded in the head, a striker was probably fatally shot and ten non-union men were more or less seriously wounded at the Oneida colliery of Cox Brothers in a clash between the officers and five hundred strikers this morning.

The Oneida colliery having been in operation since the inauguration of the strike, the Union men at Oneida and Sheppton, where many of the employes of the Oneida and Derringer collieries of Cox Brothers & Company live, decided early this morning to close down the mine. They gathered in groups on the streets as early as 3 o'clock. As the non-union men went to work they were asked by the strikers to remain at home. Some turned back, others did not. Those who went to the colliery were stoned. VanBlargin, one of the non-union employes, attemped to pull a revolver, but the weapon was taken from him and in the beating he received he had several ribs broken. This occurred just before starting time at the mine. The strikers remained at the colliery all the morning.

Women Blocked the Track.

As the small mine locomotive, used in hauling coal from the No. 2 and No. 3 collieries to the Oneida breaker, pulled up on the road near the latter colliery, a crowd of women blocked the track. The women were told by General Superintendent Kudlick to go home. He assured them that their husbands would get an increase in wages and that their other grievances would be properly adjusted. The women refused to listen and stoned the superintendent, who was wounded in the head. Then the striking men and the women rushed toward the No. 2 colliery. A force of about fifty special policemen who had been brought down from Beaver Meadow to prevent trouble attempted to intercept the mob, but they were powerless to do anything and retired to the engine house.

Shooting Began.

Just as the officers got close to shelter, a shot was fired. This was followed by another and in a few seconds many shots rang through the air. Policeman Mills was the first to fall. Then Joseph Leske, a striker, staggered to the ground. No one knows who shot first, but it is believed that both the strikers and the officers used their weapons. A gun shot killed Mills and small shot struck Policeman Kellner. Lesko, a striker, was struck by a ball from a revolver, with which all the officers were armed.

After the shooting the strikers dispersed. Sheriff Toole, of Schuylkill county, in whose territory the clash occurred, was in Philadelphia and could render no assistance. His chief deputy, James O'Donnell, arrived here this afternoon and went to the scene with a force of men.

Rev. Carl Houser, a Lithuanian minister from Freeland, who baptised a child at Oneida just at the time the shooting was in progress, was mistaken by the strikers for Superintendent Kudlick and narrowly escaped being stoned. He was soon recognized by a friend and escorted safely to the station.

SCRANTON, PA., October 10.—Thousands of striking mine workers marched in review through several crowded streets here this afternoon, and showed their loyalty to the cause for which they have been battling for the past three weeks. They were addressed by President Mitchell, who said the proposition for a ten per cent. increase was not enough.

BRYAN IN MICHIGAN.

Made Sixteen Addresses During the Day to Good Sized Crowds.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

GRAND RAPIDS, MICH., October 10.—The weather for the first day of Mr. Bryan's tour of the State of Michigan was all that could be asked. He made sixteen addresses, from first to last, and all but one of the meetings were held in the open. The tour was under the management of State Chairman Campau and was admirably conducted. The train was at no time more than ten minutes behind time, and all of the platforms from which he was to speak were erected so near the railroad depots that in only one instance was it necessary for Mr. Bryan to enter a carriage in order to reach them. The country traversed was varied in character, including the famous Michigan celery belt, the scarcely less famous peach country, as well as much furniture manufacturing territory. The crowds were all complimentary in size as well as in the attention given, but those of the day were neither so large nor so enthusiastic as Mr. Bryan's meetings in Indiana and Illinois. The night meetings at Muskegee and Grand Rapids were both, however, equal to the best of the entire tour.

CASE OF YOUTSEY.

Prisoner in a Comatose Condition—Will Answer No Questions.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

GEORGETOWN, KY., October 10.—Henry Youtsey has remained in a comatose condition all day; whether that is due to the opiates administered to quiet him last night cannot be ascertained. He has answered no questions addressed to him by his nearest relatives and physicians, but once or twice during the day he held up his hands and exclaimed: "There is no blood on my hands—there is no man's blood on my hands."

Judge Cantrill said this morning that the trial would certainly proceed, but if Youtsey is absolutely unconscious to-morrow the judge may abandon his purpose. Youtsey's attorneys think he simply had hysterics last night, brought on by the severe strain and long confinement and that he will recover in a day or two.

The first solid car load of oranges for the season was shipped from Florida yesterday in a decorated car, consigned to a Chicago house The oranges were shipped from Kissimme, in Osceola county, and were grown in groves that had entirely recuperated from the freeze of 1894.

DEMOCRATIC FIELD DAY.

Call to Be Issued for a Grand Rally of Democratic Clubs Throughout the Country on October 27th.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

CHICAGO, October 10.—A call will be issued to-day by the Democratic National Committee for a grand rally, on October 27th, of all the Democratic clubs throughout the country. The day will be set apart as a Democratic field day.

Chairman Jones, of the National Committee, said to-day:

"I intend to address a letter to the Democratic clubs all over the country, requesting them to give me the proof, in all instances that come within their knowledge, of employers undertaking to coerce or intimidate employes. I have now some men in Ohio for the purpose of ascertaining the conditions there. They are intelligent men, who are close observers, and I have instructed them to report carefully the facts they discover. Our people are thoroughly aroused to the danger in this direction and are determined to have an honest election."

ROUGH ON ROOSEVELT.

Stoned by Hoodlums at Fort Wayne, Ind. The Governor Not Hurt.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

FORT WAYNE, IND., October 10.—Hoodlums of Fort Wayne to-night endeavored to rival those who made an attack upon Governor Roosevelt in Victor, Colo., and in a measure succeeded. On Calhoun street, shortly before the head of the procession reached the rink, where the Governor was to speak, a party of roughs on the sidewalk threw a shower of stones at Colonel Roosevelt's carriage. One stone struck Governor Roosevelt on the shoulder and another, aimed at the Governor, missed him and struck Colonel Curtis Guild, Jr., of Boston, in the face. The Governor was not hurt, and laughed the matter off. The horses attached to the Governor's carriage were whipped up and got away from the roughs, who offered no further violence and used no bad or insulting language.

WARM WIRELETS.

Brigadier General Lee, U. S. V., has been granted an extension of leave for twenty days.

A challenge from Sir Thomas Lipton for another series of races for the America's cup has been sent to the New York Yacht Club.

The German ship Louise, Captain Horstmann, from Port Tampa, November 27th last, for Yokohama, has been posted at Lloyds as missing.

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sep 24 tf R. O. GRANT, Supt.

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